

**T. GREAT REDUCTION IN PRICES OF SINGER
and CO.'S SEWING-MACHINE.**

FROM \$3 10c TO \$7 15c.

Weather reduced to 1c 6d per bush; retail, 2d each; by THE GRADES, 15c.

MACHINE OIL per 2 or bottle, 6d each.

An immense reduction in all duplicate parts; and **FRANK'S** extra wood and tartan boxes for keeping needles in, reduce the workmen of sewing machines to use none but Singer's great oil. **SINGER'S SPERM OIL** is **WINTER** **PRESSED**, and never thickens.

The returns of sales last year, 241,679, exceeding those of any country by 149,562 machines; or in other words, **MORE THAN DOUBLE THE SALES** of any competitor.

On hand at 26 per week, and 10s deposit.

Reduced cash price, \$7 15s.

Steger's sole authorized Agent—
G. J. WALLIS (late Standard and Co.),
No. 1, Elizabeth-street, Sydney.

CHRISTMAS GIFTS.	CHRISTMAS GIFTS.
If you want to make a present to your friends that will last a life time, BUY A REMINGTON SEWING-MACHINE , and you will never regret it. There is none to approach them.	
J. J. CURRAN , 600, George-street, Sole Agent.	

BUILDING MATERIALS.
VARNISHES. — VARNISHES.
Victoria Varnish Company's celebrated VARNISHES,
made specially to suit this climate, equal, if not superior,
to any known brand and at considerably lower prices.
ALEXANDER BORTHWICK,
256, George-street, Sydney.

GOODLET and SMITH, Timber and Galvanised Iron Merchants, 483, George-street, near Bathurst-street. 7, Parramatta-street, near Railway Bridge. Pottery and Brickworks, Riley-street, Surry Hills. Patent Brickworks, Botany Road, Waterloo. Victoria Sewalls, Pyrmont, near the Bridge.

ON SALE, 3 to 6 lb. SHEET LEAD, cut to sizes. J.A. BROWN, 276, Pitt-street.

PLAIN and corrugated G. O. and Orb IRON, 4 to 10 feet, reduced prices. BROWN, op. School of Arts.

50,000 FERT Gutters, Pipo, Rldging, etc. reduced prices. Brown, op. S. of Arts.

RESULT EXTRAORDINARY.—**GIBSON'S** REFRIGERATING PAINT, h applied to iron, slate, or glass roofing, has the wonderful effect of ensuring **PERFECT COOLNESS** during the most intense heat of summer. On SALE by

B. O. HOLTERMANN and CO., 12, Pitt-street,
Agents to the Proprietor.

BRITISH PLATE and Sheet Glass Warehouse.—The largest and best assorted stock in the colony. Oils, Lamps, Colours, Brushware, Paperhangings, &c. **JAMES SANDY and CO.** (late Thomas Edens), 255, George-st.

SLATES, Cement, Plaster, Sheet Lead and Pipe, Zinc, Galvanized Iron, White Lead, and Oil, Wire Nails, Iron Pipe and Fittings, Drain Pipes, English Fire Bricks,

&c. CRANE and SON, New Pitt-street, Circular Quay.
MARBLE and Slate CHIMNEYPIECES, Register
 Grates, just landed. CRANE and SON.
OREGON DEALS, SPARS, FLOORING, &c.
 The entire CARGO of the FORWARD, from Puget
 Sound, now being landed at our Wharf, and for SALE at
 very low prices.
 STREET BROTHERS, Sussex-street.

STRAAT, BROTHERS, Timber Merchants,
Street's Wharf, Sydney,
and
Pamphool Sawmills, Manning River.
Hardwood of every description, and of the very best
quality. Tallow-Wood, Ironbark, Girders, and Kelp-
pieces supplied at the very shortest notice, and at consid-
erably reduced prices.

PAPERHANGINGS. PAPERHANGINGS.
The best stock of
PAPERHANGINGS

NEW AND BEAUTIFUL DESIGNS
Es late arrivals.
P. BROWN,
House Painter and Decorator, 216, Pitt-street.
O. AND ORB IRON, 5 to 10 feet: Sheet Lead,
2 to 8 lbs. W. CARY, Railway Bridge.

ON SALE, at REASONABLE RATES, MARBLE, ENAMELED, and SLATE CHIMNEYPieces. Portland Cement, and American and English Plaster; and TO ORDER, all kinds of work in Marble, Slate, and stone. **PATTEN, BROTHERS,** 242, 344, and 348, N. W. COR. 2d and 3d STS., ST. LOUIS, MO.

EVERY description of Polished Granite WORK
PATTEN, BROTHERS, Agents.

HOUSES AND LAND FOR SALE.

FOR SALE, a fine block of LAND 84 for building,
fronting Blacklock-street, and facing three other
streets, 10 minutes walk from Parramatta Junction. JOHN

FOR SALE, choice Building SITES, Newtown Road
St. Peter's, and Temple, from 14s per foot : choice Lot,
North Kingston. Money advanced on loan for building.
GEORGE LANGHORNE, Manora Road.

CITY PROPERTIES and Freshfolds, for SALE: terms
liberal. **W. DOUGLASS, 434, George-street.**

HOVENDEN COTTAGE.—For immediate SALE
freshfolds.

and a beautiful property, containing of a large allotment of land, with first-class cottage thereon, price £210. Hovenord cottage is in good order, beautifully situated as suburban residence, has large frontage to first-class street, close to "bus station," and within forty minutes' walk of the General Post Office; the cottage is well and faithfully built of bricks on a stone foundation, contains 4 large and lofty rooms, with verandah, flower garden, and other improvements. Persons seeking a comfortable home, are invited to inspect this property. **FRANCIS FAHEY, 129, King-street.**

REDFERN.—For SALE, a nice elevated and healthy well-built BRICK HOUSE, having front garden, verandah, balcony, hall through, 6 good rooms, with gas laid on, chandeliers, &c. kitchen, back verandah, wash-house, large yard, water laid on, good back entrance, &c. Price \$850; terms, half cash. H. E. Shorter, 174, Pitt-street.

COTTAGES, Houses, and Allotments, for private SALE. J. G. READ, 494, George-street.

HOUSE sold by private contract, very superior. Private

RESIDENCE (and furniture, if desired), situate in one of the most accessible and fashionable suburb out of Sydney, overlooking the sea. Also detached roomy **DWELLING**, with land at Woolloomooloo. Apply, by letter, **Mr. STATHAM**, Mac Donnell's Office, George-street.

£100 CASH, and balance on easy terms wanted, for first class Villa, Woolloomoo. 168, Pitt-st.

£150 WANTED, for fresh food Cattle, Wairarouka, New Zealand, land 4 to 60. J. J. Pringle, 168, Pitt-street.

£350 WANTED, for 4 freehold Houses, Paddington; half cash. J. Pringle, 168, Pitt-st.

PITT-ST., JAMES PRINGLE has for
168, SALE, Houses, Farms, Orchards, Allotments

MORE DOCTORS OF LAWS.
 TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.
 Sir—It would be well to see a list of the

University in Parliament. The bill which empowers the Senate to grant degrees to Doctors of Laws without examination will be the means of supplying a deficiency long felt and generally deplored. Since the foundation of the colony we have never had a sufficiency of these gentlemen among us; and, though the Senate has supplied us with a few during the last twenty-five years, the number is still lamentably insufficient for our necessities. The laws are now in such a deplorable state of disorder that the existing staff

or LAW Doctors is quite inadequate to afford proper treatment. Most of the laws are afflicted with tumefactions of the tongue so distressing that they can hardly be understood. Some have fallen into many pieces, most difficult to join; and among others there are numerous cases of fracture, dislocation, gangrene, and dry-rot. That they stand much in need of doctoring is a point upon which there is no variety of opinion. The only remedy for this state of things is an addition to our staff of LAW Doctors.

It is alleged that an adequate staff cannot be obtained

without empowering the Senate to grant degrees without examinations. Understand that the examination is usually very slight, in fact merely nominal, though somewhat pedagogical. But in the case of Doctors of Law, the examination is objected to on principle, the gentlemen holding that their qualifications are so very obvious that an examination is unnecessary and degrading. Doubtless the Legislature will be ready to stretch a point for the accommodation of a class which is charged with such important duties.

Yours, &c.,

December 21.

All Use it.—it is at every picnic. It is in every kitchen. It gives the flesh to every dish, for gravies, soups, game, fish, or cold meats. It assists digestion and increases the appetite. It has a place at Government House, and is seen at every respectable entertain'. The protectionists use it because it is colonial, the free traders because it is cheap. It is the especial favourite with all classes, because, as one of the Sydney

...Belish, made by Washington H. Soul, of 331 Pitt-street, and
sold by every storekeeper. Price, one shilling.—Adv.

Cothen, April 16th, 1876." Peter Möller is the only real man
facturer bottling his Cod Liver Oil, thus offering to the public a
guaranteed article. Head office at Christiansia, Norway; Branch
at 534, Oxford-street, W.C., London; and manufacturing
Lofoten Islands, Norway. Sold throughout the colonies by

ORDER OF SALE

THIS DAY, FRIDAY.

OFFY, SUBURBAN. and **COUNTRY PROPERTIES**
to be sold by public auction, at the Rooms, Finsbury-
THIS DAY, FRIDAY, at half-past 11 o'clock.

SURREY-STREET. Land with premises No. 65
Surrey-street, Chancery, near
Eskan-street, now occupied by
Mr. Robinson, ironworker.

UNION-STREET. Two Houses Nos. 24 and 25
Union-street, at the rear of the
above.

UNDERWOOD'S The right, title and interest of
ESTATES. Major Spalding and Mrs.
Spalding, in and to the Under-
wood Estate, and in and to the
Fund in Court.

WOOLLAH. Block of freehold Land, Peter's
Fence Road, adjoining the new
Congregational Church, opposite
the Underwood Estate.

BALMAIN. Block of water frontage late, Winton-street and the harbour, near Leach-street, with COFFRAGE thereon.

CORNER. block of land, Doding and Surpin streets, with some COFFRAGE thereon.

NEWTON N. 1 acre and 18 perches, land, near Ormiston-terrace, fronting George, King, and Queen streets, near the stand.

GLADWIN T. LE PARRAMATTA RIVER. "Sunnyvale," a Cottage Residence, with grounds, on the main road, near the stand, about half a mile from Wharf.

PETERSH. M. Villa Residence in Railway-street, near the Congregational Church, and adjoining Mrs. Lee's residence.

LIVERPOOL ROAD. Villa Site, 1 road & parishes, Liverpool Road, a few feet from Driver's Bend, near the stand.

BURWOOD. Two allotments, Adelaide street, south of the Parmatta Road.
PARMATTA ROAD. 1 acre 2 rood 18 perches land, Parmatta Road, Liberty Plains.
WASCOE'S SIDING. 18 acres, each about 4 acres, at Wascoe's Siding, adjoining the Government Recreation Reserve.
RICHARDSON AND WRENCH.

BURWOOD LAND SALE

23 CHOICE VILLA SITES,
the pick of BURWOOD,
fronting
THE RAILWAY LINE,
WALLACE, CHARLES, and ANN STREETS,
on the west side of the residence of W. Friend, Esq., and
near the
BURWOOD RAILWAY STATION,
will be sold by public auction.

ON THE GROUND,
TO-MORROW (SATURDAY) AFTERNOON,
at 3 o'clock.

TITLE-TORRENS' ACT. LITHOGRAPHS now
FREE TICKETS for half-past 2 train on day of sale
now ready at the Rooms, Pitt-street.

TERMS, one-quarter cash, the residue at 6 per cent.
BY AUCTIONEER, R. D. BARNARD, and WRENCH.

Preliminary Advertisement:
Broadwood Station.
With about 16,000 Head of Cattle.

G. M. PITT and SON have received in-
structions from Messrs. George Thomas
M. S. Christian, Executors of the Estate of the late W.
B. Christian, to sell by auction, at the Exchange, Sydney,
about the middle of January next,
The above mentioned pastoral property.

WITHOUT RESERVE.

Terms very liberal.

Full particulars can be had from the Agents,
G. M. PITT and SON,
FOR SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION,
THURSDAY, December 22, 1876.
By virtue of a Decree of the Vice-Admiralty Court of
Queensland, and under instructions from John Keane
Esq., Marshal of the said Court,
the British-built barque
OSCEAL,
367 Tons Register,
classed A1 at Lloyd's,
as she now lies afloat, moored in the river Brisbane, off
the Central Gas Works, together with her Masts, Rigging,
and Running Rigging, Boats, Sails, and all other
her Tackle, Apparel, Furniture, and Stores.

GEORGE HARRIS and CO. have been
associated with instructions from John Keane
Esq., Marshal of the Vice-Admiralty Court of Queensland

(and in pursuance of a decree of the said Court made on
the 27th day of November 1801) to sell by public auction, at
his Room No. 7, Strand, London, THIS DAY, December
he 26, at 12 o'clock noon,
The British-built brigantine
BURNES,
of 367 tons register, and named
A1 at Lloyd's,
as she now lies adrift, moored in the River Brixham,
of the Potomack Canal, near her Masts, with her masts,
spars, standing and running rigging, bolts, malle
and all other her tackle, apparel, and stores.
The said vessel being damaged and disabled, so as
carries a large cargo of a very light draught of water, thus
supplying the essential qualities for an intercolonial
trade.

As she will provide for all usual necessaries, and could
be sent to sea satisfactorily at a very small outlay.

The vessel, her equipment, stores, &c., will be sold IN
LOT, or by parcels, at the discretion of the Bidders, and
furniture, and stores may be taken up, and removed
anywhere; or at the office of the Marshal of the Court, at
St. Pauls Church-yard, London.

under or within places cards of inspection may be obtained.
Terms, cash.

Notice.—The undersigned would strongly impress on all parties in search of a good high-classed vessel of large capacity (at small expense) capabilities, the exceedingly desirability of availing themselves of the present opportunity.

For Sale by Public Auction,
on
MONDAY, January 8, 1877.

By virtue of a Decree of the Vice-Admiralty Court of
Cromwell, and under instructions from Sir John K. Mayne,
Esq., Marshal of the said Court.

The Clipper Bark,
FEON Y,
386 tons register.

Important to Merchants, Shipmasters, Speculators,
and Others.

GEORGE HARRIS and CO. have been favoured with instructions from John Keane, Esq., Marshal of the Vice-Admiralty Court of Queensland, to dispose of a large quantity of the following goods, on **Wednesday, November 29, 1876**, to sell by public auction, at their Chambers, Town Hall, Brisbane, on **MONDAY, December 5, 1876**, at 11 o'clock, a.m.

The **clothing** bears **PRONOUNCED** tone register, as she now has almost none in the River Brisbane, of the **Botanized Gardens, Brisbane**, with her **masts, spars, rigging, and running rigging**, and **Conry, masts, ballast, and all other her tackle, apparel, and stores**.

This **compact and useful** barge was built in **England**, admirably adapted to the **intercolonial and foreign trade**, and is **well fitted for service**, and **well stowed, and requires but little expenditure to maintain her equal to any vessel trading in the colonies.**

She will be sold with **all her tackle, apparel, stores, ballast, furniture, &c.**

IN ONE LOT.

And as she must be sold, the **Auctioneers** would recommend the **best buyers** to select the **best of the goods** and to purchase the **rest** for **their own use**.

BY VIRTUE of the Act 5 Victoria, No. 9,
on MONDAY, the 26th day of January, 1877,
as soon as the will of STEPHEN FACIAS heretofore pre-
sented, the SHERIFF will cause to be sold by
public auction, at O'NEILL'S Commercial Hotel, King-
street, Sydney,
All the right, title, and interest of the defendants herein
in, and to all that the equity of redemption of and in
the said piece or parcels of land.

being at O'Connell Town, in the parish of Fresh-
water, county of Cumberland, and colony of New
South Wales, commencing at a point distant 37 feet
8 inches from the intersection of the north side of
Morton-street, with the western side of the New-
town Road, and bounded on the east by the western
side of New-street, and on the north by a line bearing
northerly 57 feet 8 inches towards the north by a
line bearing north-westerly 75 feet 8 inches to a
point in the line, towards the west by the eastern side
of the said road and thence by a line bearing south-
westerly 35 feet, and towards the south by a line bearing
south-easterly 90 feet to the point of commencing
this being part of block 10 of the survey of 10
acres 1 rood and 18 p.m., and part of 240 acres
granted to the late W. Rich, Esq.

CHARLES COWPER, Sheriff.

MANNING AND DOWLING, Planners' Attorneys, Pitt-
street, Sydney.

